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Victoria, B. C., December 2, 1872. de3

Notice to Mariners.

[No. 82.]

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Cape Flattery Lighthouse.

The United States Government has given Notice, that a steam fog-whistle has been established at Cape Flattery lighthouse, on Tatoosh island, entrance of Juan de Fuca strait. On and after the 1st day of November 1872, during thick and foggy weather, it will be sounded at intervals of *fifty-two seconds*; each blast being *five seconds* duration.

By Command of their Lordships,
GEO. HENRY RICHARDS,
Hydrographer.
Hydrographic Office, Admiralty, London,
23rd September, 1872. de3 1m

ROYAL HOSPITAL NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that for the future Patients will only be admitted to the Royal Hospital, Victoria, on obtaining the written authority of the two Visiting Committee to whom a certificate from a Medical man must be presented, stating that such patient requires medical or surgical aid,

VISITING COMMITTEE:
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By order of the Board.
R. CRIDGE,
Hon. Secretary.
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de12 1m

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Haynes' Quadrille Band will be in attendance. no27 3m

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IN THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.
SESSION 1872, 1873.
City of Victoria, Water.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT application is intended to be made to the Legislative Assembly during the next ensuing session for leave to bring in a Bill to incorporate a Company to be called The City of Victoria Waterworks Company, and to enable The Company to construct and maintain Works for supplying the City and District of Victoria with water, and to construct and maintain reservoirs, sluices, ditches, drain, conduits, embankments, pumps, steam and other engines necessary for the purpose of bringing pure water from Elk Lake to Victoria with power to make deviation and to take water from Prospect Lake, Swan Lake, and Cedar Hill Lake, or any of them, and to make all necessary works for such purpose, and to cross, alter, divert, or stop up any roads, streets, public places, ridges, works, pipes, sewers, drains, streams, and water courses, and to purchase by compulsion or otherwise any lands and other hereditaments requisite for the purposes aforesaid. Also, to raise further sums of money, and to increase their capital by the creation of shares or stock, with or without preference, priority, or guarantee on payment of interest or dividend, or with other special rights and privileges, and by borrowing on mortgage or debenture, or by all or any of such means, and to enable The Company to levy tolls, rates, and charges for the supply of water, and to make provisions for preventing the waste of the water supplied, and to adopt proper regulations in reference thereto.

The Bill will vary, and extinguish all existing rights and privileges which would interfere with its objects, and will incorporate with itself all or some of the provisions of The Vancouver Island Land Clauses Consolidation Acts, 1863.

And notice is hereby further given that plans and sections of the said proposed works, and the lands in or through which the same are intended to be made, or which may be taken for the purposes aforesaid, together with a book of reference to such plans; and, also, a copy of this notice as published in the B. C. "Gazette," will be deposited for public inspection on or before the 30th day of November next, with the Clerk of the Bench in the City of Victoria, at his office at Bastion street, in the said City, and that a copy of so much of the said plans, sections, and book of reference as relates to each District in or through which the works are proposed to be made or maintained; and, also, a copy of this notice as published in the "Gazette" will be deposited for public inspection on or before the said 30th day of November next, at the public school houses layed for each district.

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In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.
IN BANKRUPTCY.

A Deed bearing date the 16th day of November, 1872 and made between Gideon Corey Gerow and Aaron Johnson of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, lately trading as Expressmen under the name of Gerow & Johnson of the first part, and William Parsons Sayward of the City of Victoria aforesaid of the second part and the several creditors of the said Gerow & Johnson of the third part. The said parties of the first part assigned to the said William Parsons Sayward all the real and personal estate, property, credits and effects, for the benefit of the creditors of the said Gideon Corey Gerow and Aaron Johnson excepting as therein mentioned. The said deed was brought into this office for registration on Monday the 18th day of November, 1872, at the hour of 2:45 P. M., and was duly registered according to the provisions of the Bankruptcy Act, 1862.

RICHARD WOODS,
Registrar.
no20

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.
IN BANKRUPTCY.

A DEED bearing date the 24th day of October A. D., 1872, and made between Robert Watson of the Town of Clifton of the first part and Alfred Fellows and James Burns both of the City of Victoria of the second part, grants and assigns in manner therein mentioned, all the Estate and effects for the benefit of the Creditors of the said Robert Watson except as therein mentioned. The execution of the said deed was attested by Edwin Johnson, Solicitor, Victoria. The said deed was deposited in the office of the Registrar, Supreme Court for Registration on Thursday, 31st day of October, 1872, at 11:30 A.M., and was duly Registered by me according to the provisions of the Bankruptcy Act, 1862.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Deputy Registrar S. C.
Supreme Court, Registrar's Office. de2d4w

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[L. S.] JOSEPH W. TRUTCH,
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PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the faith, &c., &c., &c.

To all to whom these presents shall come—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

J. F. McCREIGHT, Attorney General. } WHEREAS under and by virtue of "The Breeding Stock Act, 1872," the Lieutenant-Governor in Council is empowered to divide the Province into Districts, for the purposes of the said Act;

And whereas it is provided that the said Act shall not apply to any District, unless upon an application being made to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, as therein mentioned;

And whereas such application has been made by the Settlers of Lulu Island, that the same may be created a District, under and subject to the provisions of the said Act;

NOW KNOW YE, that by virtue and authority contained in "The Breeding Stock Act, 1872," the Lieutenant Governor directs that Lulu Island shall be a District for the purposes of the said Act; and the Lieutenant-Governor hereby declares that the said District shall be subject to the provisions of the said Act during each and every month of the

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of our said Province to be hereunto affixed: Witness, the Honorable JOSEPH WILLIAM TRUTCH, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Twenty-fifth day of October, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, and in the thirty-sixth year of Our Reign.

By Command,
A. ROCKE ROBERTSON.
Provincial Secretary

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that His Excellency the Governor-General in Council has been pleased, by and with the advice of his Privy Council to withhold his assent to the following Bills, intituled respectively—

"An Act to impose a Tax on Wild Lands;"
"An Act to amend The Military and Naval Settlers Act, 1863."

By Command,
A. ROCKE ROBERTSON
Provincial Secretary.

NOTICE.

THE BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA will pay depositors on Money specially lodged, Interest at the following rates:

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HENRY A. TUZO,
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Victoria, 1st October, 1872. dec5

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CALIFORNIA STREET,
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Steamer Enterprise—Winter Arrangement.

DURING THE WINTER Months the Enterprise will leave the Hudson Bay Co.'s wharf on Wednesdays, at 7½ o'clock A. M.; and will leave New Westminster on Thursdays at 7½ o'clock A. M. de5

Notice.

THE BUSINESS OF THE HASTINGS Saw Mill Company and of Dickson, Campbell & Company will be conducted in future by J. A Raymur or in his absence by Edmund Hurd at Messrs. Dickson, Campbell & Co.'s Wharf, Store street.

J. A. RAYMUR,
Agent.
November 26th, 1872. no27

Notice

IS HEREBY GIVEN that after this date Prescriptions will only be admitted to the Victoria Hospital on the certificate of one of the medical attendants of the Institution countersigned by two of the Visiting Committee.

R. CRIDGE,
Hon. Secretary.
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NEW ADVERTISEMENS.

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A. E. SIFFKEN DE WIEDERHOLD.
Victoria, V. I., 25th November, 1872 no29 1w

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Solicitors,
Bastion Street, Victoria. no12

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

Esquimalt Graving Dock.

THE GOVERNMENT OF BRITISH Columbia are prepared to receive Tenders for the construction of a Graving Dock, at the Naval Station, Esquimalt Harbor, under the guarantee provided in the Twelfth Section of the Terms of Union of this Province with the Dominion of Canada, with Section 5 in the following words:—

"The Dominion Government shall guarantee the interest for ten years from the date of the completion of the work, at the rate of five per cent. per annum, on such sums, not exceeding £100,000 sterling, as may be required for the construction of a first class Graving Dock at Esquimalt."

The Dock to be of masonry, and of not less than the following dimensions:—

Length on floor 370 feet,
Do. over all 460 feet,
Width between copings 90 feet,
Do. on floor..... 45 feet,
Do. of entrance..... 63 feet,

to afford a depth of water on the sill of not less than 28½ feet at high water springs, and to be substantially constructed to the approval of Government, upon a site to be provided by the person whose tender may be accepted.

Further particulars as to site, borings, &c., may be obtained from T. A. BURNLEY, Esq., Chief Engineer to Government, upon application in writing to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Tenders must specify the time within which the Dock will be completed, and must be accompanied by drawings and descriptions showing exact dimensions, materials, and mode of construction of proposed Dock.

Tenders are to be sealed, superscribed "Tender for Esquimalt Graving Dock," addressed to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, British Columbia, and delivered at his Office before noon of the 15th day of November, 1872.

Persons who may consider the above guarantee to be insufficient, are at liberty to tender on the basis of such supplemental guarantee by the Provincial Government, or upon such other financial inducements, as they may suggest.

The Government do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

Each tender must be accompanied by a Bond for the Contractor, and two sufficient sureties, for the payment of £10,000 to Her Majesty, her heirs and successors, conditioned upon the due fulfilment of the tender which is accompanies, provided it be accepted within three months from the said 15th November.

By Command,
GEO. A. WALKEM,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Office,
Victoria, April 27th, 1872. ap29dawtf

C. FRANCIS BARNARD, M.D.
SURGEON DENTIST.
DR. BARNARD HAS had for SEVERAL months the "Perkins Hyatt" or "Vulcanite Base," the newest and latest material adapted to the mounting of whole sets of teeth; he is also using "Whalebone Rubber," which is rapidly supplanting for single dentures or partial sets, the best vulcanites of the last 25 years.
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THE STEAMER
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CAPTAIN ..... HOLMES
Will leave Victoria every Saturday Morning, and leave Nanaimo Tuesday Morning's at 7 o'clock.
For Freight or Passage apply to the Captain on board. au16tf

In the Legislative Assembly,
SESSION 1872-1873.
CITY OF VICTORIA—WATER.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that application is intended to be made to the Legislative Assembly during the next ensuing session for leave to bring in a Bill for the purpose of enabling the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria to construct and maintain Works for supplying the City and District of Victoria with water, and to construct and maintain reservoirs, sluices, ditches, drains, conduits, embankments, pumps, steam and other engines, necessary for the purposes of bringing pure water from Elk Lake to Victoria, with power to make deviation and to take water from Prospect Lake, Beaver Lake, Swan Lake, and Cedar Hill Lakes, or any of them, and to make all necessary works for such purpose, and to cross, break open, alter, divert, or stop up any road, streets, public places, bridges, works, pipes, sewers, drains, streams, and water-courses, and to purchase by compulsion or otherwise any lands, houses and other hereditaments requisite for the purposes aforesaid.

And for the purpose of enabling the said Corporation to raise money by issuing debentures and levying rates, for the payment of the principal sum, interest thereon and Sinking Fund, and of obtaining from the Provincial Government a guarantee at the rate not exceeding an amount to be therein referred to, or otherwise for the purpose of this Bill, as also for the purpose of levying tolls and charges for the supply of water, and to make provision for preventing the waste of water supplied, and to adopt proper regulations in reference thereto, or also to raise money by borrowing on mortgage.

The bill will incorporate with itself all or some of the provisions of the "Vancouver Island Lands Clauses Consolidation Act, 1863," and all or some of the clauses of the "Public Works Act, 1872."

The plans and sections may now be seen at the Land Office, James Bay, Victoria.

And notice is hereby further given, that plans and sections of the said proposed works, and the lands in or through which the same are intended to be made, or which may be taken for the purposes aforesaid, together with a Book of Reference to such plans, and also a copy of this notice as published in the *British Columbia Gazette*, will be deposited for public inspection on or before the 30th day of November instant, with the Clerk of the Bench, Victoria, and that a copy of so much of the said plans, sections and books of reference as relates to each District in or through which the works are proposed to be made or maintained, and also a copy of this notice as published in the "Gazette" will be deposited for public inspection on or before the 30th day of November, at the Public School House in each District.

HENRY CLARSON CODERRE,
Solicitor for the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria, for the purposes of the undertaking.
no12 Langley Street, Victoria.

The Daily Standard.

Saturday, December 23, 1872.

The Ministry and the "Colonist."

It is a great pity our morning contemporary cannot learn wisdom by experience. Its open hostility to the new Administration has so little foundation to rest upon, that people who take the trouble to think for themselves, are astonished at its presumption. For months past it was unremitting in its assaults upon the late Government, because, as it alleged, the gentlemen who composed it did not, and never did, possess the confidence of the people, and therefore had no constitutional right to the positions they occupied. We need scarcely say we coincided with that opinion, and acting upon that conviction, we gave a consistent opposition to the Government from the beginning to the end of their tenure of office. Our objection was not by any means to the gentlemen composing that Government on personal grounds, but on the ground that never having exerted their influence in any way to further the cause either of Confederation or Responsible Government—if we except Mr Walkem, who was always true to the cause of Confederation—we felt it to be a duty we owed to the country to oppose them, for the reason that not having aided in bringing about those constitutional changes for which the Liberal party had for years contended they necessarily failed to possess that full measure of public confidence essential to constitute a strong and stable Administration. Not so, however, with the present Ministry. From the Premier down, all are known to be thoroughly imbued with liberal and progressive views. The sentiments which they hold, and are prepared to carry out as a Government, are in the main the same as those for which the *Colonist* has been contending, for months past, and hence the opposition of that journal to the new Cabinet is not one based upon any principle of consistency or sound policy, but is the result of disappointed ambition and the manifestation of a factious disposition. Our contemporary asserts that "the statement that Mr. DeCosmos consulted with, and had the approbation of those who acted with him in overthrowing the old Ministry, as to the *personnel* of the new, is simply and flagitiously untrue." We have the best authority for reiterating that we stated, and to add that foremost among those who expressed a willingness that Mr. DeCosmos should be at perfect liberty to choose whoever he thought proper as his colleagues in the Cabinet, was the member for Nanaimo, who even went so far as to pledge him self to give the new Government a *loyal* support, and that without taking the trouble to inquire of whom it should be constituted. Such being the case, we would ask: Could presumption be carried to a greater extreme than for that gentleman's organ to turn round and charge Mr. DeCosmos with "treachery and desertion, and that, too, of the most aggravated kind"? What may not people expect from one so lost to every sense of what is right—so utterly unscrupulous as to what it does or says? Had the *Colonist* been governed by a reasonable amount of common sense, it would have bottled its disappointment for a short season, until the new Ministry had time to develop its policy, and then to have judged it upon its merits. The new Government is prepared to stand or fall upon the merits of its general policy and the measures it will recommend to the Legislature for its sanction. We are satisfied public opinion will demand for the new Ministry a fair trial, and that is all they ask. If upon a fair trial they are found wanting, either in respect of ability or a desire faithfully to promote the interests of the country and to carry out the well understood wishes of the people, then it will be the duty of the House, in the exercise of its constitutional power, to replace them with wiser and better men.

In addition to their usual stock of house furnishing and other goods, Burns & Edwards would call special attention to their stock of Glassware, China, Earthenware and Plated ware, consisting in part of handsome cut and engraved Decanters, Champagnes, Clarets, Hocks, Ports and Sherries, Tumblers, Vases, Epergnes, Flower stands, Celery glasses, Tea and Dinner Services, Plated Tea Services, Spoons, Forks, Soup Ladles, etc., etc. Some of the above goods are superior to anything of their kind ever imported to this market, and are very suitable for Christmas or New Year's Gifts. *

CHRISTMAS!—It is scarcely necessary for us to enumerate the variety of articles upon exhibition at T. N. Hibben & Co.'s, Government street, in anticipation of the approaching holidays. There must be a concession in the minds of every resident here, for the past twelve years, that such an important occasion has never been slighted by us. We are justified in saying, that if one season has excelled another in a tempting array of Christmas-boxes, the present one will eclipse them all in variety, beauty, and attractive-ness. *

NOTICE.—I take pleasure to inform Mr. E Watson's former customers, and particularly the Officers of the Fleet, that I have done all his Watch and Chronometer work for the past four years. As he has left the country, I beg to solicit the direct patronage of his former customers. All watch and fine clock work done for him by me, under one year, will be guaranteed by me. Attention paid also to Letter and Seal Engraving, at moderate prices. G. W. A. LANGE, Yates street. *

New Advertisements.

Sparrowhawk.

NEITHER THE OWNERS OR UNDERSIGNED will be responsible for any debts contracted on behalf of the Sparrowhawk without their authority.

STROAT & CO.,
Agents for Owners.

Wharf street, December 20th, 1872. de18

Notice to Merchants & Others.

U. S. CONSULATE AT
Victoria, B. C.

CONSIGNEES of Merchandize imported from the United States in Bond are hereby notified that their Certificates to the landing of such merchandize must be presented at the Consulate with all the blanks properly filled up, dated, and signed; in default of which the Consular verification will be withheld.

DAVID LOCKSTEIN,
de23 U. S. Consul.

Victoria Gas Co., Limited

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

The Shareholders in the Victoria Gas Co. Limited, are requested to take notice that the Annual General Meeting of the Company will be held at the office at the Works on Monday, 13th January, 1873, at 12 o'clock.

By order of the Board of Directors.
C. W. R. THOMSON,
de28td Secretary.

Victoria Gaol Supplies.

TENDERS will be received up to noon of Tuesday the 7th January, 1873, at the Police Office, addressed to J. Howe Sullivan, Warden of Gaol, for the Supply of the following articles.

The lowest or any tender not necessar ly accepted.

Bread	per lb
Beef	"
Potatoes	"
Vegetables	"
Tea	"
Coffee	"
Sugar	"
Pearl Barley	"
Soap	"
Soda	"
Wood	per cord
Coal	" ton
Coal Oil	" gallon
Tobacco	" lb
Pepper	"
Salt	"
Blacking	per doz. boxes
Stove Polish	per doz. packets

Victoria, 27th December, 1872. de28td

Wanted.

A COMFORTABLE BED ROOM, WITH or without board, in the house of a private family centrally situated in town.

de27 Apply X Standard Office.

Notice

IS HEREBY GIVEN that Simon Moffatt Dorman of the City of Victoria, is the sole owner of the steamboat which plied on Kamloops Lake during the past season and is now upon or near the same Lake and that John R. Adams is in possession of the same steamboat as agent for Simon Moffat Dorman.

J. ROLAND MEE,
de27 Solicitor, Bastion Street.

City of Victoria School District

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTIONS 11 AND 27 of the Public School Act, 1872, notice is hereby given that the annual meeting for the Election of School Trustees for the City of Victoria School District will be held at the City Council Chambers, Broad street, on Wednesday, January the 8th proximo, at 12 o'clock, noon, at which meeting any male Householder or Freeholder resident in the said School District will be entitled to vote.

For order of the Board of Trustees.
W. LEIGH,
Secretary.

City Council Chambers, 25th December, 1872. de27td

For San Francisco Direct.

THE STEAMER
PRINCE ALFRED,
CAPTAIN..... SCHOLL

Will sail for San Francisco direct on Saturday Morning Dec. 28th, at 8 o'clock.

For Freight or Passage apply to
R. BODRICK & CO.,
de27 Wharf street.

WHERE IS THIS?

15 LARGE CAKES

To be Raffled for

NEW YEAR'S EVE.

I GUESS AT PIPER'S!

de27

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

PROCLAMATION

Electoral District of Victoria City, To Wit:

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the Electors of the District of Victoria City that, in obedience to Her Majesty's Writ to me directed, and bearing date the 24th day of December, in the Year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, I require the presence of the said Electors at the Police Barracks, Victoria, on the 6th day of January, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of Electing one person to represent them in the Legislature of this Province and that in case a Poll be demanded and allowed in the manner by law prescribed, such Poll will be opened on the 7th day of January, at the Police Barracks Victoria, at 8 o'clock A. M., and close at 4 o'clock P. M. the same day, of all which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

Given under my hand at Victoria, 26th day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two.

A. F. PEMBERTON,
de27td Returning Officer.

$50 Reward.

LOST.

ON WEDNESDAY THE 18TH, inst. on Government street, between Fort and Johnson Streets, $200 in Greenbacks, &c. FIFTY DOLLARS Reward is hereby offered for the recovery of the same. Apply to

de20 W. T. Standard Office.

J. C. TRACY,

AUCTIONEER & COMMISSION MERCHANT.

CONSIGNMENTS of Fruit, received by every steamer.

Salesroom St. Nicholas Building, Government Street.

Regular Sales every Wednesday and Saturday at 10½ o'clock.

Consignments solicited, Prompt Returns and moderate charges guaranteed.

Sales attended in any part of the city or vicinity. Best city reference given.

New Advertisements.

BARNARD'S EXPRESS.

THE NEXT REGULAR CARIBOO Express will close on THURSDAY EVENING, Dec. 26th, at 9 o'clock P. M.

A Cariboo express may be expected on Saturday by steamer.

de24 F. J. BARNARD & CO.

JOHN WILSON,

THE "GARRICK'S HEAD" INN

BASTION STREET.

THEATRE SALOON

GOVERNMENT STREET.

T. A. WILLIAMSON

PROPRIETOR,

Immense Stock of WINES AND LIQUORS for the XMAS HOLIDAYS.

Finest brands of Cigars to be had at the bar. de23

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

But if you want LUCK all the year round,

BUY YOUR CHRISTMAS BEEF, TURKEYS & GEESE OF THAT LUCKY WINGER,

At that LUCKY Butcher's Shop, UNION MARKET, Corner of PORT & DOUGLAS STREETS.

JOHN WINGER. de21

In come I, Old Father Christmas,
Christmas, or Christmas not;
I hope old Father Christmas
Will never be forgot.

After a good substantial Christmas Dinner what so jolly with your cheerful glass As a good Dessert.

Come and make your selections from

FELL & CO'S

List of the following Good Things:

For those who love to crack a Nut with their Jokes, they have Walnuts, Hazel Nuts, Filberts, Pea Nuts, Almonds, Cocoa Nuts,

BESIDES,

MUSCATEL RAISINS, the Choicest in the City,
The finest New Picked TURKEY FIGS,
Do. Do in Fancy Baskets.
FRENCH PLUMS, Prunes, Dates,
NEW SALTANA, and ELMA Pudding Raisins,

ALSO,

LEMON, Orange, and Vanilla Creams,
PU CH JELLY—Vanilla Do.
Orange Do., Lemon Do.

IN ADDITION,

BON BONS, Cosaques, Masquerades,
Chinese Fans, Mottoes, Sweets,
Do. Scent Bottles.

Pure Confectionery in great variety, Broken Candies, none of your adulterated Stuff, 25 cts. per lb.

FELL & CO.,
Fort Street,
Family Grocers.

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Most Important to Purchasers of CHRISTMAS FRUITS, ETC.

THE PRINCESS ROYAL FROM LONDON, brought a Very Choice Lot of new

SEASON'S FRUITS, &c.

Selected in London from the Latest arrivals for

JOSEPH GOSNELL

FAMILY GROCER AND PROVISION DEALER,

DOUGLAS STREET, VICTORIA, B.C.

LAYER MUSCATELL RAISINS, very choice
ELEME FIGS, Very Choice,
ZANTE CURRANTS in Tins, very choice,
CANDIED PEELS in Tins and Bottles,
ENGLISH SPICES, Assorted,
LEE & PERINS WORCESTER SAUCE,
COLMAN'S Double Superfine MUSTARD,
CROSS & BLACKWALL'S PICKLES, OILS, VINEGAR, &c.,
CAPT. WHITE'S PICKLES,
KNIGHT & SONS' LONDON SOAP, "The Pride of the Laundry,"
PRICE'S BELMONT SPERM CANDLES,
RUSSIAN ADAMANTINE CANDLES. And always in Stock,

Choice Teas & Coffee, Raw & Refined Sugars, Hams and Bacon, Cheese, &c., &c.

Farmer's Produce Bought.

All orders promptly delivered without extra charge. de20 1m

VICTORIA, B. C.,
20th December, 1872.

IN compliance with Section 5, of "The Medical Ordinance, 1867," the Register of Medical Practitioners, registered under that Ordinance, is herewith published for general information.

CHAS. GOOD,
Registrar.

REGISTER OF MEDICAL PRACTIONERS.

HELMCKEN, John Sebastian, Victoria, B. C
Application received 24th December, 1869.
Diplomas registered 24th December, 1869:—
A Diploma from the Royal College of Surgeons, England, dated 17th March, 1848.
A Diploma from the Court of Examiners, Apothecaries' Hall London, dated 29th April, 1847.

DAVIE, John C. Victoria, B. C.
Application received 8th March, 1870.
Diploma registered 8th March, 1870:—
A Diploma from the College of Medicine, San Francisco, California, dated 7th March, 1866.

BELL, Thomas, Williams Creek Hospital, Cariboo.
Application received 22nd May, 1871.
Diplomas registered 16th June, 1871:—
A Diploma from the Master Wardens and Assistants of the Society of the Art and mystery of Apothecaries, of the City of London, England, dated 10th January, 1840.
A Diploma from the Royal College of Surgeons, England dated 10th April, 1840.

CHIPP, John, Barkerville, Cariboo.
Application received 10th August, 1872.
Diplomas registered 13th August, 1872:—
A Diploma from the Royal College of Surgeons, England, dated 15th May, 1857.
A Diploma from the Master Wardens and Assistants of the Society of the Art and Mystery of Apothecaries, of the City of London, England, dated 6th November, 1857.

FOSTER, Robert John, Yale,
Application received 21st November, 1872.
Certificate registered 21st November, 1872:—
A Certificate from the Queen's University, Kingston, dated 20 March, 1872. de23

The Adelphi Saloon To Let

OWING TO THE FAILING HEALTH of the present proprietor of the Adelphi Saloon, situated on the corner of Yates and Government streets, Victoria, B. C., he is willing to rent the above named well known premises for a period of one or two years.

For further particulars
Apply to
P. MURPHY,
de19 2wtf On the Premises.

New Advertisements.

CHRISTMAS STORE

Opposite the Hook and Ladder Engine House

GOVERNMENT STREET,

HANDSOME STOCK OF FANCY GOODS.

The Public are respectfully invited to inspect the present stock ere they purchase elsewhere.

Mrs. Johnston, late of English Bazaar, has been engaged to dispose of the above for the owners who wish to clear out late shipments.

The store will be open on Monday next, 16th Dec., 1872.

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CHRISTMAS GIFTS CHEAPER THAN EVER

AT THE

LONDON BAZAAR,

GOVERNMENT Street corner FORT

IMMENSE VARIETY!

Unequalled on the Pacific Coast.

Amongst which will be found many Choice and Rare Articles

Just Received ex Naworth & Princess Royal.

W. JONES respectfully invites the public to call and inspect his Stock and note Prices which are greatly reduced owing to his having to visit Europe early in the New Year on important business, he has determined to reduce his immense stock which consists of

TOYS, all kinds FANCY GOODS including

ELECTRO PLATED WARE, GLASSWARE, WILLOW-WARE, CUTLERY, STATIONERY, PERFUMERY (1st quality) JEWELRY BOOKS, PICTURES, PAINTINGS, &c, and NOTIONS without end. A Large Assortment of

Whitby Jet and Vulcanite Brooches, Earrings, Chains Necklets, Lockets and Bracelets.

no27

A very beautiful assortment
Just Received from Europe.
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THE ANNUAL BALL

OF THE

Victoria Fire Department,

WILL BE HELD AT THE

ALHAMBRA HALL.

On New Year's Eve.

Tickets admitting Gentleman and Ladies including Supper. $3

Tickets to be had of the following Committee:

W. JONES, Chief Engineer,
F. SAUNDERS, Assistant Engineer,
J. Crowther, Foreman Deluge No. 1,
W. Harrison, 1st Assistant,
C. Phillips, 2nd Assistant.
M. Hart, Foreman Tiger No. 2,
J. Stevens, 1st Assistant,
T. Partridge, 2nd Assistant.
J. Wrigglesworth, Foreman U. H. & L. Co.,
W. Buxtable, 1st Assistant,
F. Allatt, 2nd Assistant.
F. Campbell.

Dancing to commence at 9 o'clock.
Firemen are requested to appear in Uniform.

REMOVED.

C. E. REDFERN

WATCHMAKER & JEWELLER

HAVING PURCHASED THE ENTIRE Stock and Business of Mr. E. Watson will remove on Dec. 4th, to large and more convenient premises, opposite the Theatre on Government Street, lately occupied by Mr. D. Spencer, where in addition to his usual stock, he will offer for sale a fine assortment of Goods suitable for

XMAS & NEW YEAR'S PRESENTS

To arrive by next Steamer.

C. R. takes this opportunity of thanking his numerous customers for the kind support he has received during the past nine years, and solicits from them and from those who were formerly customers of Mr. E. Watson a continuance of the same, assuring them that it will be his constant endeavour to give satisfaction in every branch of the business.

Particular attention paid to the repairing of

CHRONOMETERS AND FINE WATCHES.

Fairburn's "Crests of the Families of Great Britain and Ireland" for the use of those who may desire to have seals or crests engraved. no30

NORRIS & WYLLY

Real Estate and General Agents.

Accountants, and Average Adjusters. Loans Negotiated, Settlements Effected, Accounts Audited.

RENTS & DEBTS COLLECTED

Government Street, Victoria, 30th November, 1872, no30

FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

F. GRELLEY

OFFERS TO HIS NUMEROUS CUSTOMERS ex recent arrivals, the largest and best assorted Stock of

WINES & LIQUORS.

CHAMPAGNES:
Napoleon Cabinet,
Louche,
Special Cuvee,
Eugene Cliquot,
Duchess,
Grape Leaves,
Sparkling Moselle.

WINES:
Sherry and Ports, Preller, Margan, Sauterne, Petites, Graves, Chambertin, St. George's, Nuits, Medoc, St. Laubey, Bourgogne, Mousseaux, Hock Wine.

LIQUEURS:
Curacoa,
Marascbino,
Kirsch,
Absynthe,
Vermouth,
Cocktails,
Cordials,
Ginger Wine,
Kummel.

BITTERS:
Hostetter's Bitters,
Baker's Bitters,
Angostura Bitters,
Turner's Stoughton Bitters,
Hollan Boonecamp Bitters.

Brandies in cases and bulk; Old Tom; Dunville Whisky; Lochnagar Whisky; Sherry and Port Wine in bulk; Cider in casks; Bourbon Whisky; Rum. Gin in cases; Peppermint; Jamaica Ginger; etc. de5

GREAT REDUCTION IN Sewing Machines

Singer's Family from $40 to $55.

AT

W. DALBY & CO'S

St Nicholas Building, Government St. 4-16

New Cigar Stand.

THOMAS McGLASHAN

BEGS TO INFORM THE PUBLIC That he has opened a Cigar Stand adjoining the "Grotto," on Government street, and that he is prepared to supply the best brands of Cigars, first rate qualities of Tobacco, Pipes and other, Smokers Articles at moderate prices.

A trial is respectfully Solicited. de11

Wanted

A 1st AND 2nd OFFICER.

A Steamer for London, Callao, Australia and China.

Apply to
de21 JER. NAGLE,
Shipping Agent,

New Advertisements.

THE FINEST

POULTRY

OF ALL KINDS AT

W. B. Townsend's

FORT STREET,

Christmas Turkeys, Geese, Fowls, Sucking Pigs and Game.

FRESH AND DRIED FRUITS

Nuts, New Growth,

FRESH EGGS, de16

A Nimble Ninepence is Better than a Slow Shilling.

This is the Motto of WILLIAM ANDEAN, who now offers at his Store in Government street, (opposite the St. Nicholas Hotel) the following Reasonable Goods, at the Lowest Prices for cash: New Invoices of

LADIES' & CHILDREN'S BOOTS,
50 prs. HEAVY BOOTS suitable for women's country use,
CARPET SLIPPERS,
WATERPROOF BLACKING,
BUCKSKIN BREECHES & LEGGINGS,
LEATHER LEGGINGS of all sizes,
MEN'S HEAVY WINTER UNDERCLOTHING, HOSE, &c.,
DRESS GOODS for Ladies and Children,
NEW SONG BOOKS, ENTERTAINING Novels, Biographical, Historical and other Works,
A large variety of CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, CUT GLASS DECANTERS, &c
WALL PAPER, STOVE PIPING,
IRON BOILERS, &c.,

Articles for XMAS PRESENTS,

Consisting of Jewellery, Fancy Goods, Shells Curosities, &c. And also

The usual large assortment of Second-hand Clothing and Miscellaneous Articles on sale at the

VARIETY STORE,

WM. ANDEAN,

Government Street. de30

JAMES MOORE & CO.

JOHNSON STREET, 2 doors below Henry Saunders' Grocery Store.

CHEMISTS AND DRUGGISTS.

Physicians' Prescriptions Carefully Prepared.

Patent Medicines, Perfumery and a general assortment of Drugs and Chemicals always on hand. de14

$100,000

For Water,

BOSH!

TAKE BUNSTER.

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GREAT REDUCTION

—IN—

Horse, Carriage and Buggy Hire.

Horse and Buggy $1 per hour, Holidays and Sundays Excepted.

FOR SALE

150 Cords of Dry Pine

WOOD.

J. W. WILLIAMS,
Livery and Sale Stable,
Cor Johnson & Government streets. se19 1s

LEA & PERRINS'

CELEBRATED

WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE,

DECLARED BY CONNOISSEURS.

TO BE

THE ONLY GOOD SAUCE

CAUTION AGAINST FRAUD.

The success of this most delicious and and unrivalled Condiment having caused certain dealers to apply the name of "Worcestershire Sauce" to their own inferior compounds, the Public are hereby informed that the only way to secure the genuine, is to

Ask for Lea & Perrins' Sauce,

and to see that their names are upon the *wrapper, lables, stopper,* and *bottle.*

Some of the foreign markets having been supplied with a spurious Worcestershire Sauce, upon the wrapper and labels of which the names of Lea and Perrins have been forged, L. and P. give notice that they have furnished their correspondents with power of attorney to take instant proceedings against *Manufacturers* and *Vendors* of such, or any other imitation by which their right may be infringed.

Ask for LEA & PERRINS' Sauce and see Name on Wrapper, Label, Bottle, and Stopper.

Wholesale and for export by the Proprietors, Worcesters; Crosse & Blackwell, London, &c., &c., and by Grocers and Oilmen universally.

To be obtained of Messrs. JANION, RHODES & Co., Victoria, V. I. jy21w.

The Daily Standard

Saturday, December 23, 1872.

Shipping Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Dec. 27—Sch Isabella, Sandburn, Sooke.
Str Bushwacker, Johnson, Port Townsend.
Barque Emma, Luckey, Nanaimo.

CLEARED.

Dec. 27—Str Rudlin, Burrard Inlet,
Barque Maude, Holmes, Nanaimo,
Sch Isabella, Sandburn, Burrard Inlet,
Str Bushwacker, Johnston, Port Townsend.

DEATH.

—At Fernwood, Victoria, British Columbia, on Christmas Day, Mary Letitia the beloved wife of Benjamin William Pearse, aged 32 years.

The funeral will take place from Christ Church Cathedral, on Saturday 28th at 2 P.M.

Police Court.

(Before A. F. Pemberton, Esq., S. M.)

FRIDAY, Dec 27, 1872.

Jim, alias Kit-cole, a Fort Rupert Indian, arrested by constable Bloomfield, was charged with disturbing the peace, and ordered to enter into security in the sum of $10, to be of good behaviour for three months; or in default, to suffer fourteen days' imprisonment.

James Keogh alias Keyo, also arrested by constable Bloomfield, was charged with fighting in the public streets; ordered to pay the cost of arrest, and to enter into his own recognizances in the sum of $20, to be of good behavior for three months, or in default thereof to suffer fourteen days' imprisonment.

Thomas Alfred, arrested by constable McCharty, was charged with a similar offence, and met with the same treatment as the last defendant.

TEA MEETING.—Last evening the third annual tea meeting of the Indian Sabbath School, in connection with the Wesleyan Methodist church in this city, was held in the school room, corner of Government and Fisguard streets. Between thirty and forty pupils of the school, of both sexes, sat down to tables bountifully supplied with the very best of bread, cakes and fruits, provided by the friends of the institution, of which all partook with a hearty good will. After all had satisfied themselves with the good things so lavishly provided for them, Mr. Wm. McKay, the superintendent of the school, was called to the chair, after which the Rev. Mr. Pollard, the pastor of the Wesleyan Church, engaged in prayer. The chairman then briefly addressed the pupils, and what he said was conveyed to them in Chinook by Mr. Thornhill, one of the teachers. Addresses were then delivered by his Worship the Mayor, Revs. W. Pollard and Thos. Derrick, and other gentlemen present. Several pieces of music were very well sung by the natives, both in English and their own native dialect. We gathered from the remarks of the superintendent that the school is in a prosperous state, the attendance of pupils regular, and several of the elder members of the school have been converted from heathenism, and been admitted to membership in the church. During the three years that the school has been in operation, not one of the members, old or young, numbering in all upwards of thirty, have been guilty of any act which led to their arrest or punishment. Both mentally and morally they have been greatly benefitted, and it is only a pity there are not more schools of the same character in connection with the other churches. There were quite a number of ladies and gentlemen present on the occasion, and upon the whole it was a very pleasant and enjoyable affair. The school has our best wishes for future success.

FINE MEATS.—One of the handsomest display in that line of business, the butchering, is that of Messrs. Vaughan & Woods, of Fort street. The firm has exhibited a hog, weight 650 pounds, grown by Mr. Brown of Beacon Hill. This animal is acknowledged by all who have seen it to be the finest of its class ever shown in Victoria. A beeve also slaughtered for the holiday season, for this house, excited very general admiration; it was remarkably fat and turned the scales at 1300 pounds. This also was home grown; Mr. Munro of James Island, who "raised" it sent it in for the Xmas market.

THE DISMASTED BARK.—The bark Almatica dismasted in the Gulf a few days ago and before reported, lies alongside the H. B. Co.'s wharf and was visited yesterday by a number of persons. The spars were cut away a few feet above the deck; the foremast in falling over the side ripped up the deck several feet around, and shows the vessel must have been in a very awkward position for safety, during this occurrence. It is questionable in the minds of some whether it will pay to make good the damage sustained.

CANADIAN ALMANAC.—Hibben & Co. have received a consignment of this very useful publication. It contains full and authentic commercial, statistical, astronomical, departmental, ecclesiastical, educational, financial and general information concerning the Dominion, of which we form a part. Amongst the list of post offices, are the offices in British Columbia established by Mr. Dewe.

PASSENGERS PER PRINCE ALFRED.—The following is a list of the names of passengers booked per steamer Prince Alfred, for San Francisco: Professor Macoun, John W. Wilson, Angus Campbell, J. W. Ackerson, A. North, Geo Pardon, E. Ellicotte, Geo Deitz, Hy. Masters, C. P. Crawford, T. Schooley and wife, Colonel Lane—ten in the steerage

FOR THE EAST COAST.—The steamer Sir James Douglas left the Hudson Bay Co.'s wharf yesterday morning, at seven o'clock, for Comox, Seymour Narrows, and the East coast generally. Amongst her passengers we noticed the Hon Provincial Secretary—Dr Ash—Mr. and Mrs. Hobart, Miss Holden, Mr. Lindsay and Mr. Rowland.

THE COMING ELECTION.—Dr. Ash,—Hon. Provincial Secretary—left here per the Sir James Douglas yesterday morning, accompanying the writ which went up for the coming election in the Comox district, for which he is the representative in the Provincial House. The doctor stands well in his district; no one better.

THE SPARROWHAWK.—The steamer Cariboo Fly towed the Sparrowhawk out of the harbor yesterday morning at 9:30 o'clock. They proceed to Messrs. Moody, Deitz & Co.'s mill at Burrard Inlet, where the machinery of the Sparrowhawk is to be loosened and taken out and a cargo of lumber put on board for Australia.

FOR OLYMPIA.—The steamer North Pacific left here at 6 o'clock yesterday morning for Olympia and the usual calling points on the Sound. She had a few passengers and but a small quantity of freight, leaving without any of the through freight from the Prince Alfred.

THE Standard Life Assurance Company's Colonial Almanac for 1873, has been received by the agent, and is for distribution, gratis; it is a neat little print.

Our Agricultural Resources.

The following letter has been handed us for publication. The communication will explain and speak for itself, and will be read with much pleasure by our farmers and the public generally:—

[Copy.] *Office of the Agricultural and Arts Association of Ontario.*

TORONTO, Dec. 12, 1872.

DEAR SIR: I duly received your favor of the 6th September last, accompanying a very fine sample of Scotch Fife fall wheat. The wheat arrived on the 25th September, just in time for our annual exhibition on the 23rd to 27th of that month at Hamilton, and was at once placed on view on the exhibition tables. The sample was so much admired, that every grain of it was carried away in small pinches by members of the Association and others, so that it probably got into the hands of a hundred parties or more. This being the case, I would feel much obliged if you would send me another small sample to keep on hand in the office amongst the other samples of grain and seeds, which we have on hand from all parts of the world. I send you herewith a small sample of the fall wheat to which was awarded the Canada Company's prize of $100 at our late exhibition. It is the Dichl variety, and was grown by one D. Roellefson, near Hamilton. I send you also a copy of our prize list, and a list of the prizes awarded.

I am, dear Sir,
Yours very truly,
HUGH C THOMPSON,
(Signed) Secretary.

To ROBERT BROWN, Esq.,
North Saanich, Vancouver's Island.

RICH MINERAL DISCOVERIES.—The Seymour Narrows and Bute Inlet railway parties have discovered iron and coal beds, rich in quality and of large extent. Application has been made to the Lands and Works for mining leases of the same. The discoveries will prove most valuable in connection with the building of the line of the Canadian Pacific. We are also informed that large areas of lands suitable for agricultural and grazing purposes have been met with; and the engineers are very favorably impressed with the wealth of the country which they traversed the past summer.

GLAD TO SEE THEE "BOY."—The Ottawa *Herald* of the 4th December has the annexed paragraph: The Hon. J. J. C. Abbott, M. P., Sir Hugh Allan, H. Nathan, M. P., D. A. Smith, M. P., Thos. White, jr., J Marshall, T. N. Gibbs, M. P., James Domville M. P., John Walker and John Carling, M. P., are staying at the Russel House, and had an interview with the members of the Government yesterday.

FOR NEW WESTMINSTER.—The steamer Enterprise sailed for New Westminster at 7:30 yesterday morning, taking the up-country mail and express matter and the following passengers: Mrs. Cochrane, Hon. Mr. Armstrong, M. P. P., Mr. Holbrook, M. P. P. Messrs. Work, Ashwell, Seymour, Moody, Dodd, Cornell, McLennan, G. Cole, B. Wilson, and a few others.

TOYS FOR NEW YEAR'S GIFTS.—Mrs Johnston, located for a few weeks in Government street, to dispose of fancy goods and toys, for the owners, who wish to clear out late shipments, will sell for the next few days the remaining stock at nominal prices, in order to close out the business.

ARRIVED FOR LUMBER.—The French ship Tropique, of Bordeaux, arrived in the Roads yesterday a.m ,53 days from San Jose, Guatemala, bound to Moody's mill for a cargo of lumber. She was towed up in the afternoon by the Grappler.

GOING EAST.—Several of the railway survey engineers will leave for their homes in Canada per next trip of the Prince Alfred. The work will be pretty nearly closed in two weeks' time.

I. O. O. F.—The election of officers of Columbia Lodge, No. 2, held last evening, resulted as follows: W. J. Jeffree, N. G.; W. Meldrum, V. G.; H. Waller, R. S; C. Keat, Treasurer.

PICKED UP.—The steamer Isabel, on her way up to Nanaimo, picked up floating in the Straits the rigging of the Almatia. She secured the same and then returned to port.

DEPARTURES.—The steamer Maude leaves this morning at seven o'clock for Nanaimo. The direct steamer Prince Alfred, sails at the same hour for San Francisco

THE GAS CO.—The annual general meeting of shareholders is announced for the 13th proximo.

BRANDIES.—The first direct shipment from France of the celebrated Champage Vineyard Proprietors' brandy, for Turner, Beeton & Tunstall, arrived at San Francisco this week by ship Resolve from Bordeaux, and is expected up on the Prince Alfred. This shipment comprises amongst other dates of vintage some more of the celebrated 1831 and 1855, the former now over forty years old. These brandies are acknowledged by the best judges to be the very purest and best imported, and they command the highest prices in the markets of London and San Francisco. *

HOLIDAY GOODS.—The attention of intending purchasers is directed to the large stock of new goods just received by A. B Gray, Government street. His stock is now replete with a choice and varied assortment of all descriptions of dry goods, together with a great variety of fancy small wares suitable for holiday gifts *

A. GILMORE, Merchant Tailor, has removed his place of business to the store adjoining the Colonial Hotel, Government street, four doors from Yates street, where he is prepared to sell, at reduced rates, Custom Made Clothing and Gents' Furnishing Goods. Also, Garments made to order, according to the latest Styles. *

HOLIDAY PRESENTS.—J. L. Jungerman directs public attention to his large and handsome stock of fine gold and silver watches for ladies and gentlemen, elegant sets of diamond and other jewelry, and many other articles in this line, suitable for Holiday Presents. Silverware, plateware, music boxes, spectacles, &c., &c., in great number and variety. *

THAT PORTFOLIO.—As there is considerable discussion going on at present about the creating of new portfolios, the undersigned is prepared to make them in any quantity. Also, Blank Books and every description of Binding and Ruling done. R. T. WILLIAMS, at Messrs. T. N. Hibben & Co's. *

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S PRESENTS.—A fine assortment of Watches and Jewellery for sale at C Redfern's, Government street. Also, a small lot of fine French Bronze Figures, and Porcelain-ware, being the first articles of the kind imported into this Province. *

THE original cheap and easy Shaving shop at Fred Payne's, on the sunny side of Johnson street. *

Was "the Fichborne" in British Columbia.

The following in reference to the Claimant by the author, Mr. Poole, C. E. of a work on Queen Charlotte Island is quite amusing:—

ARTHUR ORTON.

To the Editor of the (London) Morning Advertiser.

SIR,—A long and painful illness extending over two years, the result of travel and privation in the Rocky Mountains of British North America, has prevented my having a look at the Claimant or taking any interest in the great trial, and will be an apology for my troubling you with the following facts at this late date.

The history of Arthur Orton has been traced to 1861, and there has been no legal proof of his existence since. Now in 1862 I chartered the sloop Hamley to convey my party and provisions from Victoria, in Vancouver Island, to the mouth of the Bellecoola River (entrance to the Cascade Mountains). One of the party was a "Cockney," who often cheered our evenings around the camp fire after the day's march with reminiscences of his adventures in South America and Australia. His advocation during life had been many—first as a butcher, then sailor, drover, gold-digger, cook, miner, ranchcoal-burner, and blacksmith. The late professional he was trying when he joined us.

Owing to a huge bellows which he carried our progress from day to day over the mountains was much retarded, though it caused us much amusement and was a better protector against the savages than all our firearms combined; for when the Indians attempted to attack us the "blacksmith" would rush to the "infernal machine," and the Indians disappeared as if by magic. He had a remarkably good voice for a man knocking about the world, and one of his favorite songs was "Wapping Old Stairs," his native place

I find in my diary in the month of June that when we arrived at the foot of "the Great Slide," our party of 86 was reduced to less than half, and at this point we left the blacksmith to die by the hands of the Indians or by starvation, like most of my unfortunate companions, which was probably his fate; at all events, I never heard of him again, though I had been over the country two years later, and made every inquiry in hope of hearing that some of the party had made their way back in safety to the Pacific coast.

Now in the early part of last summer I frequently saw a boy at Kilburn very like the blacksmith, and since this boy left here I have been informed, to my surprise, that he is Mrs Jury's son. These facts make me think that Arthur Orton, my old fellow traveller, who I thought had perished in the Cascades, must be the now famous Arthur Orton. I enclose my card, and subscribe myself the author of

"QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLAND."

15, Princess-terrace, Upton-road, St. John's wood.

(From the Morning Advertiser.)

* * * Since the trial in the Court of Common Pleas some curious testimony has come out respecting Arthur Orton, the Wapping butcher. We allude to the letter originally published by us from the gentleman in whose company Arthur Orton have been lost under the most distressing circumstances in the Rocky Mountains district, and the comments on the Claimant's photograph sent by Arthur Orton's brother from Singapore. * * *

[From an Exchange.]

THE TRIAL OF THE CLAIMANT

This trial has been fixed for the first day in Hilary Term. In demanding a "trial at bar" the Attorney-General said:—I appear before your Lordships to-day not exactly to move in this case, but to make a statement to your Lordships, and to ask, as I have a right to ask as Her Majesty's Attorney-General, for a trial at bar in the case of the Queen V. Castro. I have from an early period of the case handed over its conduct to Mr. Hawkins, Q. C., Mr Sergeant Parry, and Sir George Honyman, Q. C., and as the Crown is represented by them, it would be to the last degree unbecoming in me to interfere, directly or indirectly, with the conduct of the case. I do not, therefore, appear as taking part in the conduct of the case, but as it appears to the authorities a trial at bar must be demanded by the Attorney-General, I do so now in that capacity My learned friends who have the conduct of the case have from the first been in anxious consultation how best it can be disposed of with the least inconvenience, and how any inconvenience that must arise can be best met. No doubt there is extreme inconvenience in a trial at bar. There is the employment of more than one Judge belonging to a Court already overworked and many grave and weighty reasons why, if possible, in any case a trial at bar should be avoided. They have been, I hope, duly weighed and considered by us. There is, on the other hand, the extreme importance that a case of this kind, when once begun, should be tried to its end, and that any time occupied on it should not by any accident be thrown away. Besides this inconvenience, there is another upon which I do not presume to pronounce an opinion, viz: whether the present state of the law is sufficient for the purpose of this trial, but I find, from the best consideration I—and in the opinion also of men far more able to judge than myself—can give to it, that it is open to grave doubt indeed, and therefore it would not be right in a case of this kind to have the trial begun when it is doubtful if it can be brought to a conclusion. It has further been suggested by persons whose opinions are entitled to great weight and attention at my hands, that the matter could be remedied by passing an Act of Parliament, but that was open to the objection of ex post facto legislation. Besides that it is not for me to say, and I have no right to assume that the Legislature simply on the representation of the Government would pass such an Act—an Act affecting a person actually on his trial before a Court by altering the state of the law under which he was brought before the Court. I think it would be presumption in me, and taking a liberty which I have no right to take, to think they would pass such a law. Under these circumstances, and after weighing the inconveniences and conveniences on both sides, and there being two rules pending before your Lordships, in one of which the defendant asks for a trial at bar, I, taking no part in the case respectfully, in my official capacity as Attorney General, appear before your Lordships to demand a trial at bar, and that a day shall be fixed for the trial, With regard to the rules I have referred to, Mr. Hawkins and his learned friends have been instructed to show cause against them, and they will take such a course in reference to them as they think best. Sergeant Sleigh, the counsel for the defence, stated that his wishes would be fulfilled should the trial be fixed for the first day in Hilary term.

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Military Matters.

EDITOR STANDARD:—In your issue of the 18th inst. appears a paragraph headed "The Red Coats." There are probably few who do not participate in the regret therein implied that we cannot retain amongst us a force of the gallant corps which furnished the guard of honor at the opening of the Legislative Assembly on the previous day. The feeling was acutely experienced by our eastern compatriots when, a few months ago, the last Imperial regiment took its departure from Quebec. I am myself second to none in regard and respect for both officers and men of the Imperial troops, yet I confess that I should have been better pleased to have seen the duty which, on the 17th inst., devolved on the royal marines, performed by a guard of Dominion forces, and that I cannot regard the entire absence of regulars as an unmitigated evil, for the reason that it is not until such withdrawal has taken place that the country begins really to look to its militia for the performance of every requisite military duty, and to repose in it that confidence which I do not hesitate to assert is due to the first militia organization in the world.

In the East these words would not seem bold words, because the people there have learned by experience the truth of what may here be possibly deemed a mere assumption, viz., that men may be reliable and officers efficient without the prestige generally (and justly) considered to attach to service in the regular army.

You have, on more than one occasion, so kindly afforded me a portion of your valuable space that I am induced to solicit a continuance of the favor in advocacy of views the explanation of which in this Province presents itself to me in the light of a duty to my numerous talented brother officers, and to that force to which I conceive it no small honor to belong.

In evidence that Canada may, and does, confidently rely on her national army for the efficient performance of such duty as any probable emergency may give rise to, it is only requisite to point to the status of the Dominion force which it is as yet necessary to maintain in Manitoba. But we may even go further, and contrast the remarkable celerity with which the reinforced expedition in October, 1871, was fitted out, and the aptitude, skill, and courage which conducted it to its destination through hardships and sufferings calculated to try the most veteran soldiery, within seven weeks (I speak roughly and without book, but, I think, within the mark) of its inception with the tedious management of the first expedition, in which the arrangements of Imperial officers conflicted with, while they controlled to a damaging extent, the co-operative efforts of the Canadian Militia Department.

The organization of the second expedition was happily free from the red-tapism of the Horse Guards, and it did not contain, *en route*—till Col. Osborne Smith met it at the end of the 90-Mile Road—a single officer who had been service in the army. It was commanded with brilliant success by Brevet Lieut. Col. Thos. Scott, who had been senior captain of the Ontario Rifles in the force of 1870.

Whatever may be the conditions as to details under which the people of this Province may be called upon to perform that military service to our common country which is due from all alike, from Cape Sambro to Nootka Sound, it is not to be doubted that, both by reason of a high grade of intelligence and of a physique far above the average of old countries, the contingent of British Columbia, however numerically small, should stand high in repute amongst their brethren in arms throughout the Dominion.

It is to be supposed that the peculiar status of the Dominion Militia can scarcely fail to invest it with an exceptional interest in the eyes of British Columbians. It is neither a volunteer Force nor a militia, in at all the sense usually ascribed to those terms in the minds of Englishmen. It is, in effect a national citizen army, whose rank and file are as fairly trained as the industrial exigencies of the country will permit, and whose officers, as a body, have conscientiously and diligently striven to qualify themselves for the responsibilities of command.

It is the early stage of a grand experiment that of the efficacy of an armed nationality as against a standing army, and, to the advantages of Canada detailed in your interesting leading article of the 23rd instant, might well have been added that of a military organization which has extorted even from the United States *Army and Navy Journal* unqualified expressions of respect.

It is necessary that a country which endeavors in this manner to preserve peace by being prepared for war should maintain small permanent corps for purposes of instruction in the scientific military arms but apart from this, it is not to be doubted that the mass of a national armed force may be efficiently furnished by a spirited and confident militia. And it may be remembered that able American statesmen have, I think justly conceived that even a great war may be carried on with less ulterior disadvantage to a nation by a perhaps lavish temporary expenditure on a large impromptu force, than by incurring the heavy permanent burthen of a large standing army. A principle of which the war of 1861-5 affords a not altogether unsatisfactory illustration.

It is scarcely necessary to insist on the immense advantage possessed by a country, a large proportion of whose inhabitants are accustomed to the use of arms and familiar with the rudiments of military formations. Prussia presents the most striking illustration of that condition. But her system is carried to an extreme of enforced service which could neither be adapted to, nor tolerated by, a power whose institutions are as free as are those of Canada. Nevertheless, were the Militia Act carried out to even a fair extent of its powers, every three years would send back from her militia rank 40,000 men sufficiently *au fait* to the use of their arms and to the requirements of discipline, to prove of the highest value in a hurried levy on emergency. On a small scale this has more than once received illustration. Thus when two battalions, numbering in the aggregate 700 rank and file, were organized, equipped, and ready to march within a fortnight from the call for men, for the N. W. expedition of 1870, nearly every man was found fit to take his place in the ranks, and only required the brushing up of a few days drill to secure a very great precision of movement, and a thoroughly soldierly bearing.

Indeed, it is the facility with which men may at this day acquire in a short time, and with such training as the militia affords, a military efficiency which was formerly supposed to be the result only of long years of drill and routine, which I propose to dwell upon for the express purpose of combatting that old prejudice; and, if haply, any weight be found in my arguments, of inspiring sensible men with a spirit of reliance in a new order of things military.

Mr.—since, if I remember rightly, Sir—Lascelles Wraxall, who, writing in a somewhat penny-a-line style, and with but a very dim prevision of the coming effects of forces then seething in the cauldron of European politics, was yet able to discern some general, and some military truths, says, "The curse under which our army suffers is tradition." This was more true at that time than now, when it has awakened to the vital importance of rapidity of adaptation to constantly changing, and constantly accumulating, conditions of efficiency. But the axiom yet applies to the great majority who still believe in the infallibility of a not always intelligent regular, and the supposed superficiality of the militia man or volunteer.

Allowing that any citizen force may at first be found deficient in that brilliant precision of manœuvre, and that perfect steadiness in action which are the results of continuous habits of implicit obedience, and of the easy familiarity derived from the daily practice of years, it must also be granted that a comparatively very short period in the field will suffice to bring the citizen soldier to a close approximation in these points to his absolutely military *confrere*. And we may remember that almost raw recruits entered largely into the composition of the army which stood its ground "'gainst steel, and fire, and the tide of blood," "from morn to dewy eve," at Waterloo.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

Annexation.

[From the Toronto Globe.]

The foolish article in the London *Times* on Canada's relations with England, has roused the attention of several gentlemen in New York who call themselves "Colonists," and whose ruling passion is the annexation of Canada to the United States. Our New York telegrams of yesterday inform us that these "Colonists" were bestirring themselves to co-operate with the "ten annexation organizations in Canada;" and to day we are told that the British colonists in "New York favorable to annexation held a meeting last night, and decided to communicate with the colonists of Buffalo, Chicago, St. Louis, and New Orleans with reference to annexation." While we are deeply grateful to these "Colonists"—nine-tenths of whom, doubtless, left us in hot advance of the sheriff's officers—for their anxiety on our behalf, we would remind them that, kind matchmakers to the contrary notwithstanding, the consent of the bride is necessary to a lawful marriage; and so far as Canada is concerned, she gives a peremptory refusal to her wooer and his friends. The *Times* thinks that Canada should leave the old homestead, but one scribe in Printing House Square no more constitutes the British nation, than a few Canadian refugees in New York represent the people of this country. When we find it necessary in the interests of England, and indispensable to our existence as a people, to merge into the republic, we shall likely do so; but that occasion is among the extremest and most distant of improbabilities, nor can it be brought out of that category by the joint efforts of Buffalo, Chicago, St. Louis or New Orleans. We are perfectly satisfied with our present situation. In proportion to our population, our mercantile strength is four times greater than that of any nation on earth except England. Our taxation is nominal, and the wealth of the country has increased amazingly during the past five years. The great question that agitates this Province is not how to impose taxes to clear off our indebtedness, but how most profitably to expend a surplus of $5,000,000, equivalent to over $3 50 per head of our population. Our Constitution is more perfect because more elastic than that of the United States; our laws more conducive to freedom, honesty and morality, and our administration of justice as sacred and pure as human nature can be perfect. When we are crushed to death by taxation, divided among ourselves as North and South, robbed by monster rings which haunt their plunder in the face of a corrupt and degraded judiciary; when political influence defeats justice, and killing is no murder—then we shall consider ourselves on a level with our neighbors and seek their society as birds of a feather; but until then, the banks of the St. Lawrence must be the partition between our house and theirs. We respectfully remind the zealous "Colonists" of New York that we can present 600,000 well-drilled arguments why they should not attempt to forcibly abduct us—and for further information as to the dangerous nature of their scheme, we refer them to General O'Neill. He can tell them that the people of Canada have a peculiar method of discriminating between emigrants who come to settle peaceably in the land, and New York and Buffalo emigrants, who cross the border with swords instead of ploughshares. "He knows how it is himself."

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Andrew Astrico Proprietor.

THE MOST COMMODIOUS AND CLEAN Hotel in Victoria. It is conducted on the European principle. The Table is supplied with the very best the market affords.

MEALS at all hours of the day. Private Dining-rooms for families.

CHARGES—Board and Lodging per week, $5 50 to $6 50; Board and Lodging per day $1; Single Meals, 37½ cents; Beds, 50 cents.

TERMS—Cash in advance.

A Fire-proof Safe in the House. oc20 1y

T. SMITH

BEGS TO INFORM THE PUBLIC THAT he has opened the well known

BOOMERANG INN

LANGLEY ALLEY.

The Boomerang Inn has been thoroughly refurnished and fitted up at great expense by Mr. Smith, and he hopes that by strict attention to business, and his utmost endeavors to accomodate the public, he may merit a continuance of that patronage which was always accorded to his predecessor.

THE BEST QUALITY OF

Wines and Liquors

and the Finest brands of

CIGARS,

Will always be on hand at the Bar. no29 dawtf

WASHING & IRONING

Done in Good Class Style by the undersigned, opposite Wells Fargo & Co., Yates street. MRS. WHA.

SAVE YOUR TIME & MONEY

BY VISITING

GORRIE'S BAZAAR

FORT STREET.

T. GORRIE

HAS JUST RECEIVED DIRECT from London

TOYS & FANCY ARTICLES

Suitable for Xmas and New Year's Presents.

All of which are now ready for inspection and sale at Prices far below previous prices. Call early.

A CHRISTMAS TREE in preparation for Raffle

On New Year's Eve. Some Splendid Extra Prizes. de11

NEW BOOT & SHOE SHOP.

THE UNDERSIGNED RESpectfully informs his old customers that he has started a

Custom-made Boot & Shoe Shop

in the premises recently occupied by Mr. Watson, Jeweller, near the corner of

GOVERNMENT & YATES STREETS

where he will furnish his customers with all kinds of

BOOTS AND SHOES

at prices to suit the times. All Work Warranted to be of best quality. A Good Fit or no Sale.

REPAIRING DONE.

FRANK BEEGAN. de5

NOTICE.

French Benevolent Society.

DR. POWELL having resigned as physician of the French Benevolent Society, members are informed that Dr. Ash has been appointed his successor, and will be found at his residence, Fort Street, from 9 to 12 A. M., and from 7 to 9 P. M. for free consultation.

By order of the Committee.

M. CAMSUSA.

de10 Secretary.

Municipal Notice.

IN PURSUANCE of the provisions of The Victoria Foot Path By Law, 1866, and the Amendment Victoria Foot Path By Law, 1871: Sealed Tenders will be received at the Clerk's Office, Broad street, until Wednesday the 18th inst., at 4 o'clock P. M., for the construction of a new 6 foot sidewalk fronting Lots Nos. 256 and 257 abutting on Kane Street.

ALSO

For laying a new side walk 3 three feet wide fronting sub. No. 5 of 5 acre No. 11 at corner of Chatham and Quadra streets.

ALSO

For laying a new sidewalk fronting portion of Lot No. 61 at Blanchard and View streets, the same width as the adjoining side walk.

WILLIAM LEIGH, C. M. C.

Council Chambers, 12th December, 1872. de12

In the Legislative Assembly.

SESSION 1872—1873.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly during the session next ensuing the date of this notice, for leave to bring in a Bill to enable Messrs. Dunsmuir, Diggle & Co., the owners of the Wellington Colliery situated near Departure Bay on the East coast of Vancouver Island to acquire a strip of land sixty-six feet wide and extending from their mine to the shore of Departure Bay aforesaid, for the purpose of building a Railway or Tramroad thereon, for the conveyance of coal from the mine to the place of shipment. It is also proposed that the said bill shall enable the said Messrs. Dunsmuir, Diggle & Co. to acquire a Block of Land containing Five Acres at the shore terminus of the said strip of land, for the erection of Coal Sheds, etc. for the purposes of the business of the said mine.

A Diagram of the proposed Railway or Tramroad will be deposited for public inspection on or before the 20th November instant, with the Clerk of the Bench at Nanaimo, together with a copy of the *British Columbia Gazette* containing this notice.

12th November, 1872.

EDWIN JOHNSON,

Solicitor for Messrs. Dunsmuir, Diggle & Co. no14tf

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, 30th November, 1872.

HIS Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to place Bicknell Gould Coney, Esquire, of Chilliwhack Valley, on the Commission of the Peace for this Province.

By Command.

A. ROCKE ROBERTSON.

de2 Provincial Secretary.

Wanted.

THE SUBSCRIBER WILL PAY THE Highest Cash Price for

50 Tons Chevalier Barley,

50 Tons Rough Barley.

J. RUEFF.

Wharf Street, Victoria. no28

Notice.

CHRISTMAS DAY falling upon Wednesday this year the steamer

ENTERPRISE

will not leave for New Westminster in the Xmas week, until Friday, Dec. 27th at 7.30 A.M., instead of Wednesday the 25th as usual. de10

Notice.

ALL PARTIES INDEBTED to the estate of the late Joseph L. Smith are requested to make immediate payment; all bills remaining unpaid on the 1st January, 1873, will be placed in Court for collection, and all parties having claims against the estate will please send them to the undersigned for payment.

MRS. E. SMITH,

Administratrix.

Clinton, Nov. 18th, 1872. no29 6wdaw

Notice.

ALL PERSONS having claims against the estate of A. W. Piper will present them to the undersigned, and all those indebted to said estate will pay the same to A. W. Piper, who is authorized to collect all outstanding debts.

J. RUEFF,

de12 CHAS. HILLARD, } Assignees.

A Farm For Sale.

CONTAINING 20 Acres with about 10 Acres under fence, partly down in Timothy, with Mark, Cattle Sheds, and Dwelling House, well Watered and a Range for Cattle. About eight miles from town, good roads, and three miles from Esquimalt harbor. Fifty head of Cattle can be bought on the place if desired.

For particulars apply to

de6 F. REYNOLDS, London Market, Victoria.

Notice of Copartnership.

THE UNDERSIGNED have entered into copartnership for the purpose of carrying on the business of Hotel keeping at the old stand known as Clinton Hotel, and would solicit a continuance of public patronage.

MRS. E. SMITH.

THOS. SPELMAN.

Clinton, Nov. 18th, 1872, no26

Sloop For Sale.

FOR SALE CHEAP a Sloop of about FOUR Tons.

de3 For particulars apply to E. at this Office.

THE HUDSON'S BAY CO.

Offer For Sale at

VICTORIA, V. I.,

In Bond or Duty Paid.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

DRY GOODS,

Clothing, Groceries,

WINES, SPIRITS, &c.

EX PRINCESS ROYAL and other recent arrivals from London and elsewhere.

no21 3m

EX IDAHO.

RAISINS,

In Boxes, and Half, and Quarter Boxes.

CURRANTS,

In Barrels.

FOR SALE BY

RICHARD CARR,

WHARF STREET. no29

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

A deed bearing date the 4th day of December, 1872, and made between Andrew William Piper of Government street, Victoria, Province of British Columbia, Baker and Confectioner of the first part and Charles Thomas Millard of Wharf Street, Victoria storekeeper merchant, and Jules Rueff of the same place merchant of the second part, grants and assigns in manner therein mentioned, all the estate and effects for the benefit of the creditors of the said Andrew William Piper. The execution of the said deed was attested by M. W. Tyrwhitt Drake, Solicitor, Supreme Court. The said deed was deposited in the Office of the Registrar Supreme Court for registration on Saturday, the seventh day of December, 1872, at 12:15 P. M. and was duly registered by me according to the Provision of the Bankruptcy Act 1869.

CHAS. E. POOLEY.

Deputy Registrar Supreme Court.

Supreme Court, Registrar's Office. de9

ANGEL HOTEL.

LANGLEY STREET.

LATE BAILEY'S.....LATE EBERHARDT'S

Charles Morton, Proprietor.

THIS OLD ESTABLISHED BUSINESS having been purchased by the above will be carried on with strict regard for the comfort of his Patrons, and he hopes by so doing to merit a continuance of the liberal share of patronage accorded to his predecessors.

THE SCALE OF CHARGES:

Board and Lodging per Week	$8 00
do do per Day	1 50
Board per Week	5 00
Single Meals	37½
Beds	50

The Bar is well supplied with the Best Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

A Fire-proof Safe in the House. no26dawtf

Wanted

A WOMAN TO COOK and to do general house work.

Apply at this Office. de7

[L. S.] JOSEPH W. TRUTCH.

CANADA:

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To all to whom these presents shall come,—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

J. F. McCREIGHT, *Attorney-General*, } WHEREAS a Bill intituled "An Act to amend the Qualification and Registration of Voters Act, 1872," was reserved for the consideration of His Excellency the Governor General in Council.

NOW KNOW YE, that said Bill having been laid before the Governor General in Council, His Excellency has been pleased to assent to the same, and the said Act is now in force accordingly.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Our said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS, the Honorable JOSEPH WILLIAM TRUTCH, Lieutenant-Governor of our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this 26th day of October, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, and in the thirty-sixth year of Our Reign.

By Command,

A ROCKE ROBERTSON,

Provincial Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

WE BEAR AS by a Notice, under date of 27th April, 1872, and signed by GEO. A. WALKEM, Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Tenders for the construction of a Graving Dock, at Esquimalt, were invited to be sent in, addressed to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, on or before noon of the 15th November, 1872.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the time for sending in such Tenders has been and is hereby extended until noon of the 21st December next.

By Command.

B. W. PEARSE,

Surveyor General.

Lands and Works Department, Victoria, 19th September, 1872. se23

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, 7th November, 1872.

HIS Excellency the LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR has been pleased to place the following gentlemen on the Commission of the Province of British Columbia:

REGINALD HEBER PIDCOCK, ESQ., of Comox;

ROBERT CAMERON COLEMAN, Esq., of Comox

BENJAMIN DOUGLAS, Esq., of Yale.

By Command.

A ROCKE ROBERTSON,

Provincial Secretary

DOMINION GOVERNMENT

SAVINGS BANKS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that under authority of Act 34 Vict. Chap. 6 of the Parliament of Canada Dominion Government Savings Banks will be opened on the 2d December next at the undermentioned places in the Province of British Columbia and in charge of the following Officers:

JOHN GRAHAM, ESQ., Assistant Receiver General Manager of

HEAD OFFICE VICTORIA.

F. G. CLAUDET, ESQ., Acting Agent of Branch at New Westminster.

JAMES HARVEY ESQ., Acting Agent of Branch at Nanaimo.

Until further notice deposits will be received at the above mentioned Savings Banks in sums of not less than One Dollar and multiples of a Dollar. All deposits will bear interest from date of deposit to date of withdrawal at the rate of Five per cent per annum, the interest accrued to 30th June being added to principal on that date every year.

Moneys can be withdrawn without notice to the extent of $100 but for any sum in excess of that amount, Seven Days Notice must be given by Depositors.

As all Savings Banks established under the Colonial Ordinances will be closed on the 30th November next, it has been arranged that the cheques of the Provincial Treasurer in liquidation of Colonial Savings Bank liabilities shall be received in the Dominion Savings Banks and bear interest from that date if deposited before the 1st January next.

By Order.

THOMAS D. TIMS,

Finance Department of Canada, Victoria, 18th October 1872. Financial Inspector. oc18d31

Sproat & Co.,

AGENTS FOR

The Royal Insurance Co.,

LIVERPOOL,

1y Wharf Street.

JANION, RHODES & CO.

Importers & Commission

MERCHANTS.

AGENTS FOR THE BRITISH AND FOREIGN

Marine Insurance Co.

STORE STREET. jy27tf

GEORGE'S MARKET.

JOHNSON STREET,

(Next to Blum's Dry Good Store)

DEALER IN

VENISON & GAME

of all Kinds when in Season. oc1 3m

MRS. EIXNER

DRESS MAKER

SOLICITS a share of Public patronage.

TERMS MODERATE.

RESIDENCE—Corner of Mearns and Quadra streets, near the cemetery. dec12tf

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

ESTABLISHED 1809.

CAPITAL.....£2,000,000 Sterling

Accumulated Fund, £3,286,169 Sterling.

Amount Deposited with Dominion Government, $150 000.

Losses Settled with Promptitude and Liberality.

T. ALLSOP, & CO., Agents

Government Street, Victoria. je27ly

Notice of Dissolution.

WE THE UNDERSIGNED have this day dissolved by mutual consent, the partnership carried on heretofore as the firm of Robertson & Farr, Blacksmiths and Wagon Makers, in Victoria, V. I. B. C. W. A. Robertson to collect all debts and pay all liabilities of the late firm.

W. R. ROBERTSON,

JOSEPH FARR.

Victoria Nov. 21st, 1872. no22.

Wanted

A PRACTICAL TANNER, Also a Good Beam hand

Apply to

JOHN SWITZER,

de6 Belmont Tannery.

The Dominion Government Savings Banks

WILL BE OPENED for the Transaction of Business on MONDAY next the 2nd DECEMBER, at the following places, viz:—

VICTORIA,

Opposite Scotch House, Fort Street.

NANAIMO,

NEW WESTMINSTER.

Bank Hours 10 to 3 o'clock—Saturdays 10 to 12 o'clock By Order.

JOHN GRAHAM,

Victoria, Nov. 25th, 1872. Asst. Rec. Gen. no25

FOR SALE.

THE WELL BUILT SCHOONER

FAVORITE,

130 Tons Burthen, Coppered and Copper fastened. Ready for sea.

For further particulars apply to

At the H. B. Co.'s Office. J. W. McKAY. dec9

THE OLD STAND.

FELL & COMPANY

NOT DAUNTED BY DISASTER TAKE pleasure in announcing that they are prepared to fill all orders in their line now and in the future, at the end of this week, or so soon possession can be obtained, the premises formerly occupied by them after undergoing thorough renovation and repair will be found with a fine stock of select

GROCERIES

For the present orders left at Mr. Townsend's Poultry Store will receive prompt attention. nov20

A. RICKMAN

WHOLESALE, RETAIL AND

Family Grocer.

HAS ALWAYS ON HAND A GENERAL Assortment of

SELECT GROCERIES.

CORNER OF

Government and Fort Streets

nov6

A FRIEND IN NEED!

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS

WONDERFUL CURE OF ASTHMA OF 18 YEARS STANDING.

Copy of a Letter from Mr. Ferdinand Mc Devitt Innkeeper & Grocer, Glenties, Co. Donegal, dated 4th March, 1861.

To Professor Holloway.

Sir,—I suffered from asthma for 18 years, accompanied with great difficulty of breathing, and severe cough with spitting of blood. I was also afflicted with Piles. At different times I was treated by most skilful physicians, and was at length pronounced by them to be beyond cure;—as a last resource, I was induced to use your Pills and Ointment, and in the short space of a fortnight could walk about, and am now perfectly cured, to the astonishment of all who knew me.

BLOOD TO THE HEAD WITH GIDDINESS.

Copy of a letter from Mrs. Mary Foster, Half Moon Street, Totness, dated March 16*th* 1861.

To Professor Holloway.

Sir,—For many years I suffered periodically headache, and giddiness in the head, to such a degree that at times I have scarcely been able to walk; after obtaining the best medical advice without effect, I tried your Pills and in less than a week I was completely cured. Mrs. Donnal, Chemist, of Totness, can vouch for the truth of the above statement.

COMPLAINTS OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

The very mild and painless action of these invaluable Pills, recommends them to every household as a remedy for the early departures from health. Any mother, nurse, or young person guided by the direction which accompany each box of Holloway's Pills, has at once available means for checking disease, qualifying the blood, and expelling from the system all gross humors. They are, indeed, at all ages, the tried females friend.

DISORDERS OF THE KIDNEYS & OTHER INTERNAL ORGANS

Loss of appetite and flatulency are usually the forerunners of stomachic disease. These famous Pills exercise the most salutary power in all affections of the liver, and irregularities of the stomach and bowels; they restore a healthy function to every internal organ, overcome all obstructions, and cast out all impurities.

THE ACTION OF THE KIDNEYS & OTHER INTERNAL ORGANS.

The immediate loss of muscular strength and nervous energy is more particularly remarkable in renal than in most other diseases. Their deficient action for one day suffices to produce fever, hence the necessity for prompt and efficient treatment. Holloway's Pills have the great merit of restoring any suspended or diminished secretion, and of relieving any inflammation or congestion in the spleen, kidneys, or other subsidiary organs.

The tight, suffocating, anxious feeling caused by derangement of the heart, makes the sufferer look on present death as imminent. Holloway's Pills prove an efficient and ready remedy when the disturbed circulation depends on indigestion flatulency, or debilitated nervous vigor. Persons suffering from disturbance of the heart should take about six of these Pills two or three times a week, according to circumstances, to arrest the too active action of the heart.

WEAKNESS, LANGUOR AND DEBILITY.

These famous Pills will immediately remove all symptoms of debility, langour and weakness as they act upon the main springs of life, and thus save thousands from premature grave.

Holloway's Pills are the best remedy known in the world for the following diseases:—

Ague	Inflammation
Asthma	Jaundice
Bilious Complaints	Liver Complaints
Blotches on the Skin	Lumbago
Bowel Complaints	Piles
Colics	Rheumatism
Constipation of the Bowels	Retention of Urine
Consumption	Scrofula, or King's Evil
Debility	Sore Throats
Dropsy	Stone and Gravel
Dysentery	Secondary Symptoms
Erysipelas	Tic-Douloureux
Female Irregularities	Tumours
Fevers of all kinds	Ulcers
Fits	Venereal Affections
Gout	Worms of all kinds
Head-ache	Weakness, from whatever cause &c., &c.
Indigestion	

Sold at the Establishment of Professor HOLLOWAY, 244, Strand, (near Temple Bar), London; also by all respectable Druggists and Dealers in Medicines throughout the civilized world.

*** There is considerable saving by taking the larger size.

N.B.—Directions for the guidance of patients in every disorder are affixed to Box.

VICTORIA

BOOT & SHOE MANUFACTORY,

GOVERNMENT STREET,

Next to the Post Office.

W. HEATHORN,

NOT being an Exhibitor at the late Fair, (from press of business), but feeling perfectly safe in the hands of a discriminating public who have unanimously adjudged his manufactures First Prize, returns thanks for the liberal encouragement he has received, and would inform his customers that he is constantly improving in the Style and Quality of his manufactures, having just received from England one of PEARSON'S CELEBRATED LOCK STITCH FAST THREAD SEWING MACHINES, being the only one in the Province. He is now prepared to guarantee a superior article.

Ladies' Boots and Shoes made to measure. Leather and Findings for Sale. oc17tf

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